CLAIM AMENDMENTS

<u>In the Claims</u>: Please amend claims 1, and 3-5 as follows; claim 2 is canceled:

- 1. (Currently amended) A composition for application on skin, comprising:
 - a) a first component supporting skin collagen structure comprising ectoin; and
 - b) a second component that supports body defense and repair mechanisms <u>comprising</u> an extract of *Centella asiatica* comprising asiatic acid, madecassic acid, and asiaticoside.
- 2. (Canceled)
- 3. (Currently amended) The composition of claim <u>1</u> 2, comprising about 2% ectoin and 0.3-0.5% *Centella asiatica* extract.
- 4. (Currently amended) The composition according to claim 1, further comprising a third component that supports skin lipids.
- (Currently amended) The composition according to claim 4, wherein the first component comprises ectoin; the second component comprises an extract of Centella asiatica, and the third component comprises a lipid complex.
- 6. (Original) The composition of claim 5, comprising about 2% ectoin and 0.3-0.5% *Centella asiatica* extract.
- 7. (Original) The composition of claim 6, comprising about 1% of the lipid complex.
- 8. (Original) The composition of claim 5, wherein the lipid complex is isolated from

plants.

- 9. (Original) The composition of claim 8, wherein the lipid complex comprises phytosterols and triglycerides.
- 10. (Original) The composition of claim 9, wherein the lipid complex comprises 20% phytosterols, 30% triglycerides, 40% hydrocarbons and branched esters, 10% ceramides and other phytosphingolipids.
- 11. (Original) The composition of claim 4, further comprising a firming agent.
- 12. (Original) The composition of claim 11, wherein the firming agent is dipalmitoyl hydroxyproline
- 13. (Original) The composition of claim 4, wherein the third component comprises a plant extract.
- 14. (Original) The composition of claim 13, wherein the plant extract comprises glycolipids, fatty acids and triglycerides extracted from sandalwood, cork tree bark, and barley grains.
- 15. (Original) The composition of claim 4, wherein the product is useful as an eye-firming cream, and the third component comprises a lipid complex.
- 16. (Original) The composition of claim 15, and wherein the lipid complex comprises a ceramide complex.

- 17. (Original) The composition of claim 16, wherein the ceramide complex comprises ceramide-3, ceramide6-II, ceramide 1, phytosphingosine and cholesterol.
- 18. (Original) The composition of claim 16, wherein the composition comprises about 3% of the ceramide complex.
- 19. (Original) The composition of claim 15, further comprising hesperidin methyl chalcone, dipeptide, and peptide Pal-GQPR.